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SUBJECT: INSTRUCTIONS FOR UK DELEGATION IN SOVIET TALKS

1. WE HAVE LEARNED THAT IN PREPARATION FOR US-SOVIET MEETINGS IN MOSCOW THIS WEEK, SIR ALEC DOUGLAS-HOME INSTRUCTED THE UK DELEGATION THAT THEY SHOULD IN NO WAY ALLOW THEMSELVES TO BE DRAWN BY THE RUSSIANS INTO ANY EXPRESSION OF CRITICISM OF THE US OR INTO ANY CRITICISM PARALLELING JOBERT'S CHARGES OF SUPER-POWER US-USSR CONDOMINIUM.
2. THE TONE OF SIR ALEC'S INSTRUCTIONS STRESSED THAT THE UK DELEGATION SHOULD ALLOW NO SUGGESTION OF DISUNITY OR DIFFERENCES BETWEEN US AND UK POLICY GENERALLY TO COME INTO THE TALKS.

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